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/Pp. 9-16 of this work give a quick sketch of the Warao. Chaffanjon saw them in January 1886. He writes briefly on clothing, hair style, marriage, birth, religious ceremonies, superstitions, sickness, death and funeral, geographical dispersal, housing, nutrition, language and "perfectability." These Warao lived at the mouth of the Caño Rico outlet of the Orinoco. Since the data presented are inadequate and obviously inaccurate at some points, e.g., equating sago and cassava, and because of the brief time spent among the natives, this source has not been processed for the Warao file. Pp. 169-173 contain a brief description of the Yaruro, while pp. 307-314 contain a brief account of his meeting with the Waica. Since little information is contained in these accounts, they have not been processed./